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Nicholas J. CAUNTER

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RESPONSE TO ANTICIPATED NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In Anticipation of a Notice to File Missing Parts, please find an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form signed by the inventors, and a check in the amount of \$130.00 covering the surcharge.

If any additional fees are deemed to be due at this time, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of the same to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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Transmitted herewith is a Response to Anticipated Notice to File Missing Parts (1 page) in the above-identified application.

[] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.

Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.

[X] No fee for additional claims is required.

A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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 - [X] Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 - [X] Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR

1.136.

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